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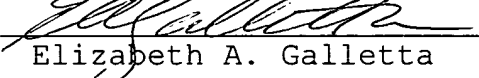
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1. International Patent Application No. WO98/01478, 15 January 1998, E.I. Du Pont de Nemours And Co.
2. International Patent Application No. WO02/090397, 14 November 2002, Rhodia Chimie.
3. International Patent Application No. WO92/13903, 20 August 1992, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Or.
4. International Patent Application No. WO2004/089994, 21 October 2004, Symyx Technologies, Inc.


Applicant submits that copies of the above-cited references were cited in the International Search Report of International Application No. PCT/GB2004/005345 and transmitted to the USPTO via the International Bureau.

If the Examiner has any questions or feels that a discussion with Applicant's representative would expedite prosecution, the Examiner is invited and encouraged to contact Applicant's undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

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